



Long Range Transportation Plan Update

Planning Commission

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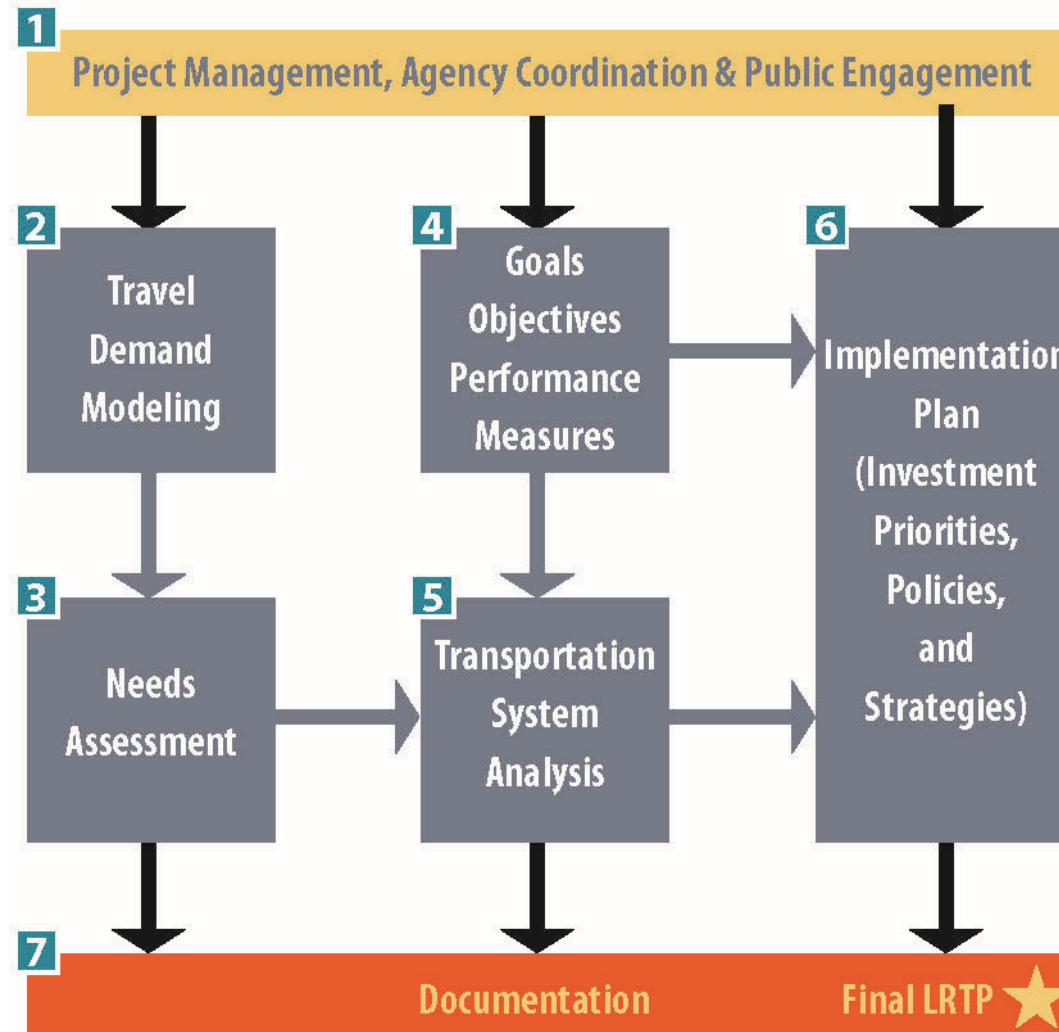
Role of the Lincoln MPO

- Carry out transportation planning and decision-making for Lincoln MPA (Lincoln + Lancaster County)
- Coordinate planning activities of all transportation-related agencies
- Adopt plans to guide transportation investment decisions
 - Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP)
 - Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)
 - Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) – 20+ year horizon, official guide for expenditure of federal and state transportation funds

Purpose of Updating LRTP

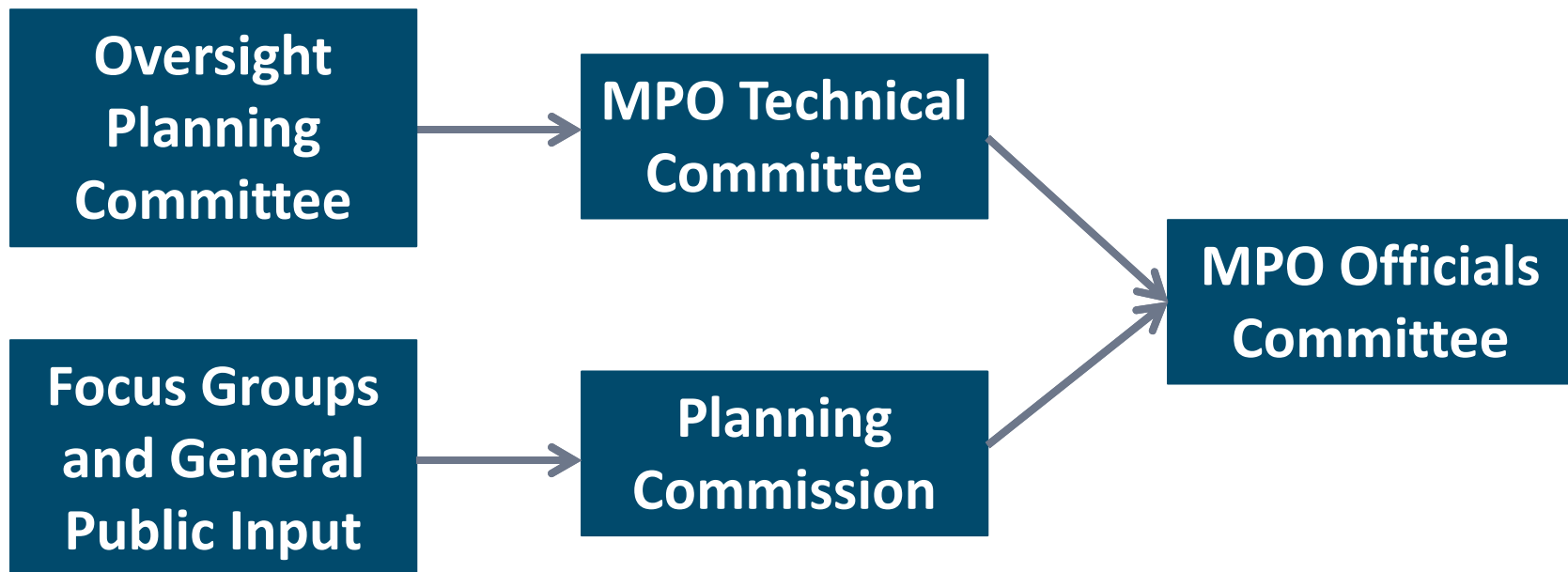
- Meet federal requirements
 - Regular updates (at least every 5 years)
 - New legislation (MAP-21)
 - Performance-based plan
- Reflect changes since the last LRTP
- Provide framework for future needs and prioritize transportation investments

Major Work Tasks




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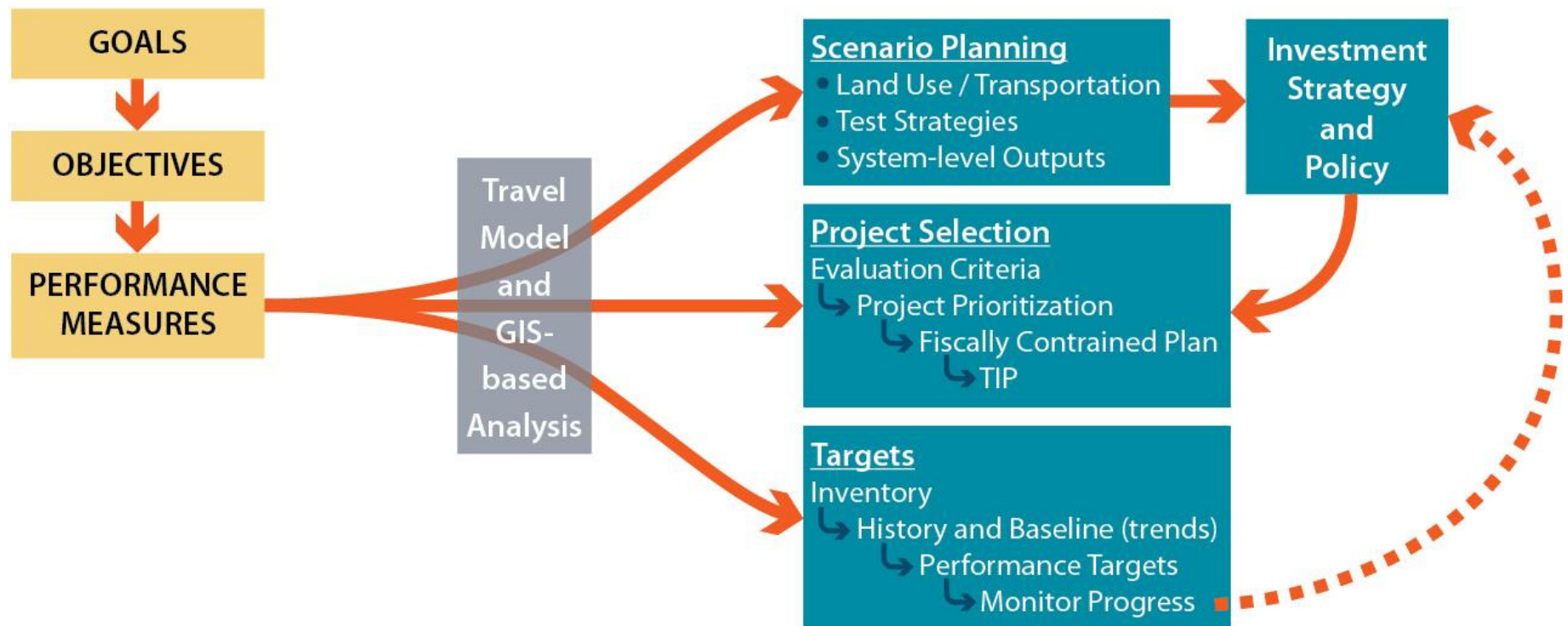
Role of Committees



Public Involvement Action Plan

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- Consistent with the MPO PPP
 - Focus Groups will help to inform the development of public information materials
 - Three Open House public meetings are planned throughout the LRTP Update process
 - Designed to gain public validation of Update recommendations encourage support for future projects

Performance-Based Planning



Transportation Goals



Maintenance



Economic Vitality



Mobility and
System Reliability



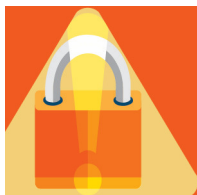
Environmental
Sustainability



Livability and Travel
Choice




Funding and Cost
Effectiveness



Safety and Security

What makes a good Performance Measure?

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- Relation to Goals
 - Available Data
 - Trackable over Time
 - Storytelling Potential

Next Steps



- Refine performance measures
- Travel demand model update
- Needs assessment
- Public engagement
 - Focus groups (January)
 - 1st public meeting (February)



Discussion Question 1:

What do you feel are the most pressing issues relative to Lincoln's transportation network?



Discussion Question 2:

What are the biggest changes that have occurred over the past 5 years and how do they affect transportation in Lincoln?



Discussion Question 3:

What trends or driving forces do you think will most influence transportation in Lincoln in the future?



Discussion Question 4:

What will constitute a successful
LRTP update?



Discussion Question 5:

How would you like to be engaged in the transportation planning process?